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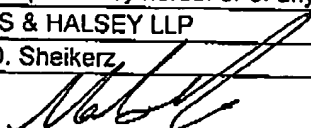
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This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 24, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on April 24, 2006. A Petition for a Second Month Extension of Time, together with the requisite fee, is enclosed thereby extending the response due date to June 26, 2006 (June 24, 2006 falling on a Saturday). This Amendment is timely filed via certificate of facsimile on June 26, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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